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DEVICE

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir/Madam:

This communication is submitted in response to the Office Action dated November 13, 2006 in the above-identified application. Please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. **Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.